Amendments to the Claims

This listing of claims will replace all prior listings of claims in the application.

Listing of Claims

What is claimed is:

- 1. (Canceled)
- (Canceled)
- 3. (Currently Amended) A pickup mounting structure according to claim 1 claim 7, wherein a wiring cable fixture member made of a synthetic resin is fitted to the holder.
- 4. (Currently Amended) A pickup mounting structure according to claim 3, wherein the wiring cable fixture member is fitted to the holder by means of thean outsert-molding.
- 5. (Original) A pickup mounting structure according to claim 3, wherein a plurality of pawls are formed at respective positions of the wiring cable fixture member, on both sides of the wiring cable, so as to be protruded, for holding a bent portion of the wiring cable.
 - 6. (Canceled)
- 7. (New) A pickup mounting structure having a base plate member made of metal, provided with an opening substantially rectangular in shape, formed in the central part of the base plate member, a pair of guide members set up so as to be parallel with each other with the opening sandwiched therebetween and each having both ends thereof fixedly attached to one face of the base plate member, and a pickup

slidably fitted to the guide members and movable inside the opening; said pickup mounting structure additionally comprising:

a rib integrally formed on the opposite face of the base plate member in such a way as to protrude around the entire periphery of the opening; and

a holder for holding a wiring cable connected to the pickup and formed integrally with the rib so as to bridge across the opening.

8. (New) A pickup mounting structure having a base plate member made of metal, provided with an opening substantially rectangular in shape, formed in the central part of the base plate member, a pair of guide members set up so as to be parallel with each other with the opening sandwiched therebetween and each having both ends thereof fixedly attached to one face of the base plate member, and a pickup slidably fitted to the guide members and movable inside the opening; said pickup mounting structure comprising:

a rib integrally formed on the other face of the base plate member in such a way as to protrude around the periphery of the opening; and

a holder, to which a wiring cable fixture member made of a synthetic resin is fitted, for holding a wiring cable connected to the pickup and formed integrally with the rib so as to bridge across the opening;

wherein the wiring cable fixture member has a plurality of pawls formed at respective positions thereof on both sides of the wiring cable, so as to protrude therefrom and hold a bent portion of the wiring cable, and also has a depression formed in a face thereof corresponding to an overlapped portion of the wiring cable and the pawls are formed at respective positions on both sides of a portion of the wiring cable, extending from the overlapped portion, while a curvature is formed on the face thereof, corresponding to the

overlapped portion of the wiring cable, so as to be higher in profile than the depression.